COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE AREA 4 SPECIALIZED FOSTER CARE PROGRAM – METRO NORTH

TRANSFER OPPORTUNITY

Medical Case Worker II Spanish Speaking

The Specialized Foster Care Program in Service Area 4 is recruiting an experienced Spanish Speaking Medical Case Worker II. The Metro North location is looking for an energetic and enthusiastic person to join our team. Ability to work in a fast paced environment, as well as strong interpersonal and organizational skills, are highly desired. Spanish Speaking is a must.

ESSENTIAL JOB DUTIES:

- Evaluate the clients' case management needs (i.e., medical care, school/vocational, social, legal, etc.) and provide active linkage to appropriate community services specializing in the needs of foster care children and youth.
- Work closely with community providers on ensuring efficient and appropriate linkages to services.
- Actively participate in special DCFS case planning or conference meetings, such as Child and Family Team (CFT) meetings, when requested.
- Assist in triaging DCFS referrals for mental health services.
- Provide Individual Rehabilitation services when warranted and appropriate to the client and families' needs.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

- Verbal and written fluency in Spanish
- Knowledge of children mental health issues and resources
- Knowledge and familiarity with DCFS and Specialized Foster Care program
- Strong multi-tasking and organizational skills
- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Ability and desire to work in a positive and effective team environment
- Flexible and easily adapts to new and changing situations

Interested individuals holding the payroll title to the above position are encouraged to fax or email their resume, last two (2) Performance Evaluations and last two (2) years of master time records by *Friday, August 7, 2015* to:

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